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Docket No. 1079-4015US3

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Stephen D. Ginsberg and Shaoli Che

Serial No. : 10/075,335 Group Art Unit: 1645

Filed : February 14, 2002 Examiner: Alexander H. Spiegler

For : RNA AMPLIFICATION METHODS  
(formerly METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS OF AMPLIFYING RNA)

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing a Request for Continued Examination.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
 is filed herewith.  
 has been filed on \_\_\_\_.
3.  Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
 Statement has already been filed

4.	Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee for Other <u>than Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
a.	<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
c.	<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

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f.  An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$\_\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$\_\_\_\_\_) equals \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due).

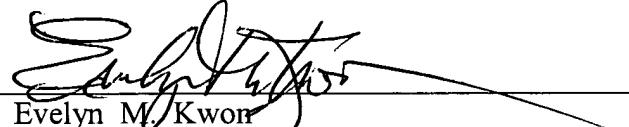
5.  A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the extension fee is attached.

6.  Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1079-4015US3. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

7.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 1079-4015US3. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: March 9, 2006

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